

In the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 166, line 15 with the following amended paragraph:

-- Hybridomas expressing the neutralizing monoclonal antibodies to mouse IL-22RA described above were deposited with the American Type Tissue Culture Collection (ATCC; Manassas VA) patent depository as original deposits under the Budapest Treaty and were given the following ATCC Accession No.s: clone R2.1.1G11.1 (ATCC Patent Deposit Designation {#####}[PTA-6035]); clone R2.1.5F4.1 (ATCC Patent Deposit Designation {#####}[PTA-6024]); clone R2.1.5H8.1 (ATCC Patent Deposit Designation {#####}[PTA-6025]); clone R2.1.12G7.1 (ATCC Patent Deposit Designation {#####}[PTA-6036]); clone R2.1.13C8.1 (ATCC Patent Deposit Designation PTA-5037); clone R2.1.15E2.1 (ATCC Patent Deposit Designation {#####}[PTA-6038]); clone R2.1.16C11.1 (ATCC Patent Deposit Designation {#####}[PTA-6039]); clone R2.1.18C8.1 (ATCC Patent Deposit Deposit Designation {#####}[PTA-6048]); and clone R2.1.21G8.2(ATCC Patent Deposit Deposit Designation {#####}[PTA-6111]).--